

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: TECH, ENRG, AR,CA,IT  
SUBJECT: EMBALSE NUCLEAR POWER STATION - ALLEGED BRIBERY

IN PRESS CONFERENCE HERE, CNEA PRESIDENT CARLOS CASTRO MADERO  
HAS EXPLAINED ALLEGED BRIBERY PAYMENT AS HAVING BEEN A SIMPLE  
PAYMENT OF COMMISSION, NOTHING MORE. PAYMENT WAS MADE, HE SAYS,  
IN FULFILLMENT OF 1972 AGREEMENT BETWEEN AECL AND ITALIMPIANTI,  
TO A "COMMERCIAL AGENT" WHOM THEY HAD RETAINED TO PROMOTE THE  
SALE OF THE TECHNOLOGY. AFTER THE SALE WAS CONSUMMATED, THE  
COMMISSION PAYMENT WAS MADE TO THE FIRM, WHICH HAD BEEN  
ESTABLISHED IN SWITZERLAND. "THAT'S ALL THAT HAPPENDED".  
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## Message Attributes

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